

# **SENATE BILL No. 225**

DIGEST OF SB 225 (Updated January 28, 2002 7:02 PM - DI 107)

Citations Affected: Noncode.

**Synopsis:** Nursing home inspections. Requires the state department of health to report to the select joint commission on Medicaid oversight concerning nursing home inspections. (The introduced version of this bill was prepared by the select joint commission on Medicaid oversight.)

Effective: July 1, 2002.

# Miller

January 7, 2002, read first time and referred to Committee on Health and Provider Services.

January 29, 2002, reported favorably — Do Pass.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT concerning health.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1	SECTION 1. [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2002] (a) The state
2	department of health established by IC 16-19-1-1 shall report
3	quarterly to the select joint commission on Medicaid oversight
4	established by IC 2-5-26-3 concerning licensure inspections of
5	health facilities under IC 16-28. The report must include the
6	following information:
7	(1) The number of:
8	(A) inspections completed;
9	(B) evening and weekend inspections;
10	(C) citations issued per inspection, including the scope and
11	severity of the citations for each type of inspection;
12	(D) complaints received, investigated, and substantiated;
13	and
14	(E) complaints in each priority level.
15	(2) The response time of the state department of health in
16	investigating complaints.
17	(3) A summary of the:

(A) citations that have been appealed to:

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1	(i) an informal dispute resolution process; or	
2	(ii) an administrative law judge; and	
3	(B) results of the appeals.	
4	(4) An analysis of citations by scope and severity for each	
5	survey region.	
6	(5) A comparison of:	
7	(A) the statistics in subdivisions (1) through (4); with	
8	(B) similar statistics, where available, for:	
9	(i) other states in Region V of the federal Centers for	
10	Medicare and Medicaid Services; and	
11	(ii) the entire United States.	
12	(b) This SECTION expires July 1, 2007.	
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## COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. President: The Senate Committee on Health and Provider Services, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 225, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill DO PASS.

(Reference is made to Senate Bill 225 as introduced.)

MILLER, Chairperson

Committee Vote: Yeas 7, Nays 0.

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